

SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA
MARICOPA COUNTY

DR 1994-021403

07/03/2012

PRO TEM KEN SKIFF
FOR COMMISSIONER ERIN O'BRIEN OTIS

CLERK OF THE COURT
E. Ramirez
Deputy

ATLAS IV-D 000204822400
STATE OF ARIZONA, EX REL, DES
MIKKI LYNN BRANDON

AND

DENNIS E PATTON

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3710 W SAN JUAN AVE
PHOENIX AZ 85019

AG-CHILD SUPPORT-EAST VALLEY
OFFICE
COMM. MORTON
JUDGE BRNOVICH

MINUTE ENTRY

Courtroom 002—Old Courthouse

3:02 p.m. This is the time set for IV-D Accountability Court. Obligor/Father is present on his own behalf. Obligee/Mother is neither present nor represented by counsel. Dee Shultz, Family Court Conference Center Officer, is present. The State is represented by Assistant Attorney General Gordana Mikalacki.

A record of the proceedings is made by audio and/or videotape in lieu of a court reporter.

Dennis Patton testifies and presents a receipt to counsel for the State.

The Court takes judicial notice of its *IV-D Accountability Court Hearing Minute Entry* dated April 10, 2012.

LET THE RECORD REFLECT that the Court is provided with Clerk of Court Receipt No. 22294351, dated 07/03/2012, time 13:08:18 for payment of \$1,212.00.

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LET THE RECORD FURTHER REFLECT that Obligor is admonished in open court for failure to *timely* pay.

THE COURT NOTES that lump-sum-payments on the date of Obligor's appearance before the Court *is not* full compliance.

Dennis Patton testifies further.

LET THE RECORD REFLECT that counsel for the State concurs that the child that is the subject of the child support order is emancipated effective May 31, 2012, and the case is now for child support arrears in the amount of approximately \$93,000.

THE COURT FINDS that, for the purpose of today's hearing, Obligor is in substantial compliance.

3:05 p.m. The Court stands at recess.

3:07 p.m. The Court resumes.

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Upon recommendation of the State and good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED referring this case for IV-D Arrears Only Court on **November 8, 2012, at 9:30 a.m.**, to monitor Obligor's payment of child support arrears and to determine compliance with all support orders:

The Honorable Wendy S. Morton
Maricopa County Superior Court
Central Court Building, 5th Floor
Courtroom 503
201 West Jefferson
Phoenix, AZ, 85003

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In the event Obligor (the party required to pay support) **fails to appear for the hearing as set forth herein, a Child Support Arrest Warrant may be issued or a default judgment entered.** Obligee (the party to receive support) is welcome to attend but not required to do so.

Between now and the aforementioned hearing, the Court expects Obligor to pay the court-ordered obligation in full, and on time or present evidence as to why he should not be found in contempt of Court. ***The payment is due on the first of each month and is late if not paid by the last day of each month.***

The Office of the Attorney General is directed to provide a copy of this minute entry to the Obligee.

3:09 p.m. Matter concludes.

FILED: Clerk of Court Receipt No. 22294351

PLEASE NOTE: Obligor is directed to the Self-Service Center, the Referral for Legal Resources listed hereinbelow, and/or the office of the Assistant Attorney General (if this is a Title IV-D case) for assistance in filing the appropriate Petition to Modify Child Support with the Court.

REFERRAL FOR LEGAL SERVICES

(1) Self Service Center, 101 West Jefferson, East Court Building, Phoenix, AZ. Automated telephone number: (602) 506-SELF. (Provides a variety of forms and instructions.) The parties may also obtain various forms from the Self-Service Center website at:

<<http://www.superiorcourt.maricopa.gov/ssc/sschome.html>>

(2) Lawyer Referral Service, 303 E. Palm Lane, Phoenix, AZ 85004 (Phone: (602) 257-4434). (Also available at: www.maricopabar.org) (This organization will refer you to a lawyer that meets your needs in your part of town. There is a \$35 charge for the first 30-minute conference. Any fees thereafter are set by the particular attorney.)

(3) Community Legal Service: 305 S. 2nd Ave. P.O. Box 21538, Phoenix, AZ 85036-1538 (Phone: (602) 258-3434). (Composed of Legal Aid Society and volunteer lawyers. The availability of service depends on your income level.)

(4) Family Law Assistance Program: (Phone: (602) 506-7948). Located on the 6th Floor of the Central Court Building, 201 W. Jefferson Street, Phoenix. (A program sponsored by the Volunteer Lawyers Program and Community Legal Service. The ½ hour consultation is free to eligible clients or a \$35.00 fee for those who don't meet eligibility requirements.)

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(5) Modest Means Project: (Phone (866) 637-5341). (A program sponsored by the State Bar of Arizona and the Arizona Foundation for Legal Services and Education, and other non-profits. The Arizona Modest Means Project provides low-cost legal assistance to people who cannot afford the expertise of attorneys' at the standard rates, but who cannot qualify for free legal services due to income qualification or other restrictions. The Project serves those whose income is less than or equal to 250% of the federal poverty guidelines.)

PLEASE NOTE: Any change in the paying party's employment and any change in the residential address of either party **must** be submitted to the Clerk's Office, in writing, within ten (10) days of the change (A.R.S. § 25-322(C)). Failure to notify the Clerk's Office of any change may be considered contempt of Court.

All parties representing themselves must keep the Court updated with address changes. A form may be downloaded at: <http://www.superiorcourt.maricopa.gov/SuperiorCourt/Self-ServiceCenter>.